



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	§	
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Uses Thereof	§	
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**RESPONSE TO FINAL FILED IN CONJUNCTION WITH RCE**

Sir:

This is in response to the United States Patent and Trademark Final Office Action mailed May 8, 2009, which response is being made on November 9, 2009 (November 8, 2009 being a Sunday), and for which a three month extension of time fee is due and enclosed herewith.

A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is also enclosed herewith.

Applicants submit this response for entry into the record, in which:

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